

100. (Once Amended) The antibody or portion thereof of claim 98 produced by immunizing an animal with protein (b).

101. (Once Amended) The antibody or portion thereof of claim 98 produced by immunizing an animal with protein (c).

Please add the following new claims:

125. (New) The antibody of claim 21, wherein said antibody binds the lectin domain of SEQ ID NO:2.

126. (New) The antibody of claim 73, wherein said antibody binds the lectin domain of the polypeptide encoded by the cDNA in ATCC Deposit Number 97129.